



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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For: **METHOD OF INDUCING IMMUNOTOLERANCE IN AN  
ORGAN TRANSPLANTATION RECIPIENT**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of two month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action dated October 20, 2003, from January 20, 2004, to on or March 22, 2004 (March 20 and 21, being a Saturday and Sunday, respectively).

A check for the statutory fee of \$310.00<sup>1/</sup> is attached. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 necessary to keep this application pending in the Patent and Trademark Office

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<sup>1/</sup> Applicants submitted a Petition for One-month Extension of Time, along with the required fee on February 20, 2004. Hence, the balance due for the second-month extension of time is submitted herewith.

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or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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